

DUNDAS ST. CENTRE CHURCH.

Service of Praise

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Tuesday Evening March 28th, 1892

AT EIGHT O'CLOCK.

On this occasion the Choir of the Church will be assisted by

THE MEHAN LADIES' QUARTETTE,

OF DETROIT.

Misses Goodwin and Corlette, Mesdames Younghusband and Mehan.

DIRECTOR, - MR. W. J. BIRKS.

PROGRAMME.

Doxology, Choir and Audience.

Invocation, Rev A. C. Courtice, B. D.

1. "TE DEUM," (arranged from "The Creation,") *Dudley Buck*
MISSSES STEVENSON AND DALY, MESSES. CARROL, BELCHER AND CHOIR.

2. QUARTETTE, "The Chimes," *Macy*

THE MEHAN LADIES' QUARTETTE.

When twilight gathers o'er the plain,
And Shadows thickly round us fall,
How sweet upon the air
Sounds the vesper call.
The distant bell—doth sweetly chime,
Ding dong, ding dong, how sweetly sounds the
chime of vesper bell.

The sturdy peasant bows in humble prayer,
With thanks for Heaven's care,
While forth rings the chime.
When twilight gathers o'er the plain,
And shadows thickly round us fall,
How sweet upon the air
Sounds the vesper call.

3. DUET, "Charity," *Faure*

MISS CORLETTE AND MRS. MEHAN.

Stern winter comes with icy footsteps speedy,
And many hearts are filled with doubt and
fear:

Our duty is to aid the poor and needy
Who have no home, or but a chamber drear.

Let us fulfil the sacred word once spoken,
That he who giveth lendeth to the Lord,

O freely give! His word shall ne'er be broken,
And sweet at last shall be thy full reward.

Go! lovely Charity with all blessings abounding;
Go! lend thine aid unto all in distress,
And let thy voice repeat in tones loud resound-
ing.

Give to the poor, the Lord shall bless.

4. RECIT. AND ARIA, } "And God said, let the earth bring forth grass."
"With Verdure Clad," (Creation) *Haydn*

MISS GOODWIN.

With verdure clad the fields appear
Delightful to the ravished sense:
By flowers sweet and gay

Enhanced is the charming sight.
Here fragrant herbs their odors shed,
Here shoots the healing plant.

5. SOLO AND CHORUS, "Whoso dwelleth under the defence
of the Most High," *Martin*

MR. PERCY CARROLL AND THE CHOIR.

Whoso dwelleth under the defence of the Most High shall abide under the shadow of
the Almighty. I will say unto the Lord "Thou art my Rock and my Stronghold in whom
I will trust." He shall defend thee under His wings, and thou shalt be safe while God
protects thee. His faithfulness and truth shall be thy shield and buckler.

O Jesu, King of Paradise, O keep me in thy love
And guide me to that happy land
Of perfect rest above.

Where loyal hearts and true,
Stand ever in the light,
All rapture through and through,
In God's most holy sight.

* PROGRAM *

(Continued.)

6. QUARTETTE, "Remember now thy Creator, in the days of thy youth," *Rhodes*
THE MEHAN LADIES' QUARTETTE.

7. HYMN 105, verses 1, 4 and 5, (Tune) *Eden*

CHOIR AND AUDIENCE.

Praise ye the Lord, 'tis good to raise
Your hearts and voices in His praise
His nature and His works invite
To make this duty our delight.

He makes the grass the hills adorn
And clothes the smiling fields with corn;

The beasts with food His hands supply,
And the young ravens when they cry.

But saints are lovely in His sight,
He views His children with delight;
He sees their hope, he knows their fear
And looks and loves His image there.

8. SOLO AND CHORUS, "Inflammatus," *Rossini*

MISS JESSIE CORLETTE

(English Translation.)

On the dread judgment
Through the loved Redeemer
Let me always still relying
For sweet grace and mercy pray.

9. QUARTETTE, "The Lord is my Shepherd," *Koschat*

THE MEHAN LADIES' QUARTETTE.

The Lord is my shepherd,
No want shall I know.
I feed in green pastures,
Safe folded I rest.
He leadeth my soul
Where the still waters flow,
Restores me when wandering,
Redeems when oppress.

Thro' the valley and shadow of death
Thou I stray,
Thou art my guardian
No evil I fear.
Thy rod shall defend me,
Thy staff be my stay,
Thou shalt be my near.

10. DUET, "Flower," *Churschr in*

MISS GOODWIN

11. SOLO, "The Place of Rest," *Goldner*

MRS. J. D. MEHAN.

There is an hour of peaceful rest,
To mourning wanderers given;
There is a tear for souls distressed,
A balm for every wounded breast,
'Tis found above in Heaven.

There is a home for weeping souls
By sin and sorrow driven,
When tossed on life's tempestuous shoals,

When storms arise and all is drear
There fragrant flow
And joys supreme are
There rays divine dispel
Beyond the confines of
Appears the dawn of heaven

12. TRIO, "O Eldest Redeemer,"

MISS CORLETTE, MRS. YOUNGHUSBAND AND MRS. MEHAN.

O blest Redeemer, lowly adoring,
We come before Thee, Thy grace imploring,
Receive in pity our supplication,
Guard us we pray Thee with Thy salvation.
We praise and bless Thee, our Great Defender,
To Thee, All-giver, due thanks we render;
Thy whole creation with exultation
To Thee their homage bring, Thy name adore.
We praise and bless Thee forevermore.
Thou to redeem us, from heaven descending
Took'st our flesh upon Thee, in love trans-
cending

Gav'st Thy life-blood for our transgression
Sav'st the guilty by Thine intercession,
Hear now and save us we pray Thee
Lest through temptation we fall at last into re-
probation.

Strengthen our weakness,
May we in meekness
Vanquish our deadly foe
This mercy O grant we implore,
So shall we bless Thee forevermore.

13. SOLO AND CHORUS, "As it began to Dawn," *Vincent*

MISS MAUDE STEVENSON AND THE CHOIR.

As it began to dawn, toward the first day of the week, came Mary Magdalene and the other Mary to see the sepulchre. The Angel of the Lord descended from Heaven and said: "Fear not ye, for I know that ye seek Jesus; He is not here; He is risen.

Hallelujah, Hallelujah, sing unto God, O ye kingdoms of the earth.
By thy glorious resurrection
Good Lord deliver us,
Hallelujah, Amen.

14. QUARTETTE, "The Mill," *Macy*

THE MEHAN LADIES' QUARTETTE.

The mill goes rumbling, rumbling on,
The mill goes rumbling on with busy whirl—
Of peace and plenty ever telling—
Its joyful sound we hear.

As ever, ever day and night—
The mill goes on with steady whirl—
The wheel goes round with cheerful sound—
And merrily sings the miller's lay.

O'er vale and meadows fall the twilight shadows,
And dews with lustre shine richly blessed,
While stars beam forth on harvest—
The gift of wondrous power divine.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Reserved Seats, 25 Cents; General Admission, (Side Aisles only,) 15 Cents.

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